REMARKS

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed October 4, 2006, the Applicants provide herewith a copy of the executed Declaration (oath) and a Substitute Sequence Listing. No changes have been made to the sequences shown in the original sequence listing. Section <130> has been revised to refer to the individual inventors as appropriate under U.S. practice. No new matter has been added.

Substitute Sequence Listing

Applicants submit herewith a Substitute Sequence Listing and the corresponding computer-readable form (CRF) of the Substitute Sequence Listing. As required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(f), the sequence information recorded in the computer-readable form (CRF) of the substitute Sequence Listing is identical to that in the paper copy of the substitute Sequence Listing. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.821(g) the Applicants state that no new matter has been introduced.

Supplemental Application Data Sheet

Applicants submit herewith a Supplemental Application Data Sheet to change the title.

<u>Fees</u>

The Applicants submit herewith the payment of \$300.00 in additional claim fees and application size fees. In the event that any additional fees (including excess claim or page fees) are due, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030.

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CONCLUSION

Upon entry of this Preliminary Amendment, the Applicants respectfully request an early examination on the merits.

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